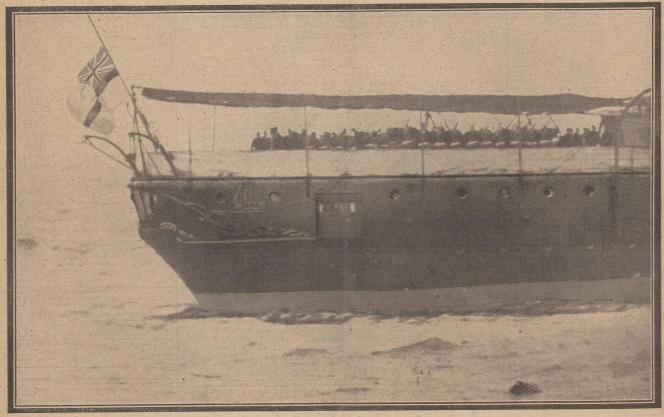
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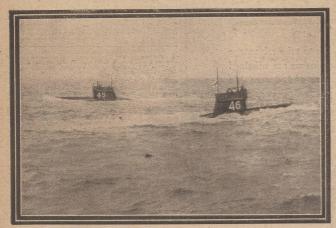
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THE HEROES OF THE A7: FUNERAL SERVICE OVER THEIR INVISIBLE GRAVE AT SEA.



one of the depot ships. The buoy marking the spot where the A7 sank is seen in the foreground



Two of the thirteen submarines in the flotilla sailing to the service.

three destroyers and three depot ships of submarines.

A flotilla of warships steamed slowly out from Plymouth Breakwater yesterday over the grey-green waters of Whitsand Bay and came to rest at an invisible grave. It was the wot where submarine A7 made her fatal dive; and the impressive service which followed



The last act of the tragedy. The men are hauling up the buoy which marked the spot where the vessel sank.—(Daily Mirror photographs.)

was the Navy's last tribute to the gallant crew, who lie twenty-five fathoms beneath the rolling waves. And when this sad ceremony was over the ships sailed back past Drake's Island, a reminder of how Britain's sailors have always been heroes.

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CHICK.—Last Friday. All well.—Girl.
"LONELY Devon Friend" can you recognise Initials, C. C.
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FATEFUL DAY IN PARLIAMENT.

Premier's Statement and Peers' Motion on Monday.

M.P.s TO BE CALLED?

Lords Committee to Inquire Into Charges Against Lord Murray.

There were momentous happenings in both Houses of Parliament yesterday.

The important announcement was made in the Upper Chamber that on Monday next the Marquis of Lansdowne will move the appointment of the following Committee to inquire into the charges against Lord Murray:—

LORD LOREBURN (the Liberal ex-Lord Chan-LORD LOREBURN (the Liberal ex-Lord Chan-

EARL DESART (ex-Director of Public Prosecu-

ions).

LORD SANDERSON (ex-Permanent Under-Secretary at the Foreign Office).

LORD CHARNWOOD (a Liberal peer and ex-M.P.).

M.P.).
The charges refer to Lord Murray's deals in shares during the time he was Chief Government Whip in the Lower House.
Monday will thus be an important day; for Mr. Asquith is to make his promised statement in the Commons on the Home Rule Bill. So great is the interest aroused that the applications for seeds received up to last night would be sufficient to crowd the public galleries a dozen times over.

WILL M.P.s REFUSE EVIDENCE?

Was the announcement of the names of the Lords' Committee premature?

Lord Crewe, rising just before the adjournment, said he had not been made aware when the House met that Lord Salisbury was to announce the

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In justice to his noble friends on that side of the House, and in particular to Lord Loreburn, he thought it would be necessary to state in what circumstances they had come to give their names as members of the Committee. He purposed to make a statement on Monday.

Lord Salisbury disclaimed any intentional discourtesy in announcing the names of the Committee. He was only giving notice "on behalf of a man much greater than himself."

What witnesses will be called to give evidence before the Committee? Will M.P.s, if called, refuse to appear?

These were the questions being discussed last night in the lobbies. Much interest has been aroused by the suggestion that anembers of the Committee unless specially ordered by the House. Committee unless specially ordered by the House. The properties of give evidence before the Committee unless specially ordered by the House.

THREE BILLS IN A MINUTE.

(By Our Parliamentary Correspondent.)

In little less than a minute three Bills which will loom large in political history were read a first time in the House of Commons last night. The measures were:—

Home Rule Bill .- Formally introduced by Mr. Welsh Church Bill.—Presented by Mr.

Plural Voting Bill.-Presented by Mr. J. A

Pease.

The Home Rule and Welsh Church Bills are now before the Commons for the third successive time under the Parliament Act, and the Plural Voting Bill for the second successive time.

Under the Parliament Act the Government expect to place their Home Rule and Welsh Church Bills on the Statute Book this summer, and the Plural Voting Bill during the summer of 1915.

GENERAL ELECTION PROBLEM?

There was again a good deal of speculation in the lobby last night as to an early general election, but, as *The Daily Mirror* has already pointed out, Ministers have no intention of going to the country

The latest suggestion is that the hand of the Government may be forced by the peers taking the extraordinary step of rejecting the Army Annual

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The need of the Army Annual Bill is thus explained in the Bill itself:—

The riging or keeping of a standing Army within the the rigin of the standing army within the beautiful that the consent of Parliament, is against law.

The Army Annual Bill lasts only for a year, and it follows therefore that if the Bill were to fail to pass the Army would, in a legal sense, cease to exist.

It is difficult to foresee how, should this extreme step be taken by the peers, the Government could get round this difficulty, for it has been ruled from the same subject can be introduced in the same session if the first Bill is rejected.

The inconvenience of rejecting the Bill, however, would be so great that the chances are that the Lords would more probably amend it so as to prevent some of its provisions from applying to Ireland after the Home Rule Bill had been placed an the Statute Book.

WIFE MARRIED AT SEVENTEEN SEEKS DIVORCE.



Mr. S. H. Knight, whose wife is seeking a divorce, leaving the Law Courts yester-day. There is a counter-petition. Mrs. Knight, said counsel, was married when she was seventeen to the son of her employer, a prosperous Woking draper.

"EVENING" DAY DRESS.



Charming afternoon gown of black velvet. The dress is cut very low for wear during the day.—(Photograph by Felix.)

"THE MELTING POT,"



Miss Grace Lane, who is to play the leading role of Vera Revendal in "The Melting Pot."

WILL SET ASIDE.



Nurse Mary Pittmann, who inherited £9,000 under the £65,000 will of Miss Auchmutz, which has been set aside.

SEA REQUIEM FOR HEROES OF A7.

Ships at Memorial Service On Spot Where Submarine Sank.

SAILOR SON'S WREATH.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

DEVONPORT, March 5.—The sea will murmur an everlasting requiem over the gaunt grey tomb of the eleven officers and men of the submarine A 7.

Under melancholy skies and on a heaving sea, a memorial service was held to-day in Whitsand Bay over the spot where the A7 sank on January 16 last.

Bay over the spot where the A7 sank on January 16 last.

There, with her crew of dead, she will lie untouched by human hands in her last resting place, 144 it. beneath the waves, for the Admiralty, after weeks of fruitless endeavour, have decided to abandon the task of raising her more waters, came submarines, destrovers, and depot ships to pay a last tribute to the heroes of the A7.

Assembling outside Plymouth breakwater, a floctilla of thirteen submarines, with three destroyers and there depot ships of submarines formed in three columns.

On board the Forth, the parent ship of the Devonport submarine flotilla, were mourners—widows and meth the white-capped waves of Whitsand Bay.

Came now the tolling of the ship's bell and a thin wisp of sound that cut the silnee—the boat-swain's whistle.

In long lines the marines and seamen mustered on the Forth before the desks of the officiating clergy. Slowly the grey ships gilded onwards in three divisions.

WEEPING BOY'S WREATH.

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In the centre was the Forth leading the three lines of vessels, where men stood at attention while bells tolled and submarines plunged after in trailing streaks of foam.

A sharp order from a lieutenant and every man stood with bared head, and marines reversed arms with a clang.

Then, over the surging sea, where a little red buoy rose and fell amid the waves, came the age old words: "We therefore commit their bodies to the deep."

A word of command and scarlet-clad marines wheeled and faced the sea. Rifles were loaded, and then a seaman led forward a little boy dressed in black—whose father, Artificer Nagle, was in his steel tomb beneath the waves.

The boy held a wreath the silver-tongued bugles sang the "Last Post," the white wreath slipped into the sea and the boy turned and burst into tears, his head in his hands. Thus it was that a sailor's son took farewell of his father.

Then, in the last poignant scene of all, the bugles echoed over the sea grave, and the sun for amoment gleamed like a blade across the purple west.

At the same hour a memorial service was held at

Monten account a memorial service was held at the Royal Naval Barracks, Devonport. All branches of the service were represented. The naval commander-in-chief attended the service on the Forth, and Sir Francis Hopwood represented the Admiralty at the service at the naval barracks. (Photographs on page 1.)

SOUND OF A KISS.

Wife's Story in Divorce Court of What She Overheard in Her House.

A wife who said she overheard the sound of a kiss and discovered letters written by a nurse to her husband was a petitioner in the Divorce Court vesterday.

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She is Mrs. Florence Knight, and she has brought charges of misconduct and cruelty against her husband, Mr. Sparkes Harris Knight.

The husband counter-charges his wife with misconduct with Mr. Sidney Herbert Stretton, against whom damages are claimed.

Mr. Willock, for the wife, said his client was only seventeen when she was married on June 3, 1903. Misconduct was alleged with a nurse named Kathleen Hall, who nursed the husband and afterwards became friendly with the family.

At one time petitioner and her husband stayed with his parents in Woking. One day Mrs. Knight went to their own house and heard a conversation between her husband and Nurse Hall and the sound of a kiss.

Later the wife ound two letters from the nurse to Mr. Knight. One said:—

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HONOUR OF THE U.S.A. AT STAKE.

Washington, March 5.—At a joint sitting of the two Houses of Congress to-day, President Wilson personally delivered a message appealing to Congress to sustain the honour of the United States by repealing the clause of the Panama Canal Act granting exemption from tolls to American coastwise shipping.

He declared that the exemption of American vessels would be a contravention of the Anglo-American (Hay-Pauncelote) Treaty of 1901.—A Reuter.

ARE WOMEN IN POWER MERCILESS?

Petticoat Police Said To Be More Brutal Than Men.

WHAT MILITANTS SAY.

Would women, placed in a position of power, be more overbearing and brutal towards women than men in a similar position?

than men in a similar position?

This question is raised by the statement that waitresses in a strike in New York have objected to being arrested by policewomen because, they contend, policewomen are rougher than men.

As reported in yesterday's Daily Mirror, women volunteered and were successful in ejecting suffragette interrupters at a meeting of the Independent of Independent o

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"Women in power lose their sense of balance soner than men," she said. "They are more excitable. There are many examples in history which prove that women in power are merciles; for instance, the Reign of Terror.

"It is a natural instinct for women to shrink from the touch of a strange woman more than from a man in the same position."

Mrs. Dacre-Fox, of the Women's Social and Political Union, held the xiew that women could never be more brutal when in power than men.

She contended that men are brutal to women when the latter are in revolt, because the fact of women revolting arouses a certain temper in men against opposition. This makes them prepared, she says, to go to any lengths to suppress it.

Women, according to Mrs. Dacre Fox, would be more considerate to women than men.

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Yet it a group of women workers could be overn the work of a man than a woman any day.

£65,000 WILL SET ASIDE.

The dispute over the will of the late Miss Isabella Auchmuty, disposing of a £65,000 estate, ended in the Probate Court yesterday.

After counsel had a consultation with the Judge, Mr. Healy announced that the parties had arrived at a settlement.

were no longer in existence.

In order to mark his (counsel's) sense of the nature of the settlement, he had stipulated that the £1,000 left to Mr. F. D. Williams should go to him in any event.

The jury were accordingly discharged, and the terms arrived at made a rule of Court.
(Photograph on page 3.)

LIVE SHELLS IN EMPTY HOUSE.

A startling discovery was made in an empty house at Woolwich yesterday.

During the course of his work in the house, a painter came across three artillery shells, two of which were live. He promptly reported the matter to the police, who are making careful inves-tigation.

matter to the poince, who he means tigation.

The house was some distance away from the barracks, and at present it is not known how the shells got into the place where they were found.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

The outstanding feature in the Stock markets section was the weakness of all Brazilian securifies on the news of the proclamation of martial securifies on the news of the proclamation of martial securifies on the news of the proclamation of martial securifies which we have a decreased appearance. Consols closed unchanged It was almost a fewer as the processed appearance.

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It was almost a foregone conclusion in the City at a big percentage of the recent \$2,000,000 anadian Government Loan would be left with e underwriters, and the news vesterday that only per cent. had been subscribed by the public cated little surprise.

created little surprise.

Among Newspaper prices, Amalgamated Press
Ordinary and Preference were again quoted at
54½ and 22s, respectively, while Associated Newspaper Ordinary and Preference remained at
28s, 3d, and 21s, 6d, and Pictorial Newspaper
Ordinary and Preference at 28s, and 18s, 9d.

TO-DAY'S WEATHER.

Our special weather forecast for to-day is: Strong and squally south-waterly to north-waterly winds; showery Lighting-nime, 6.45 pm. High water at London Bridge, 7.53 pm. High water at London Bridge, 7.53 pm. High water at London Company of the C

HOUSE OF LORDS MARCONI COMMITTEE.





Lord Desart.



Lord Loreburn

Four of the five peers whose appointment as a committee to inquire into the charges against Lord Murray will be moved by the Marquis of Lansdowne on Monday.—("Daily Mirror" and Russell.)

BOXING FOR THE KING.

His Majesty to Attend Household Brigade Competitions.

The interesting announcement is made to-day that the King will shortly attend some boxing con-

The honour of the royal command," says the

"The honour of the royal command," says the Sporting Eile, in making the announcement, has fallen to the Household Brigade.
"In addition to regimental competitions, it is intended to have exhibitions by a number of well-known professional champions.
"The date has not been definitely fixed, but the meeting will take place, according to present arrangements, during the present arrangements of the present arrangements of the present in the present in boxing will set the scal on the remarkable awakening in recent years to the value of the sport."

DEATH AFTER A TOAST.

Chauffeur's Story of Captain's Threat to Die Like a Soldier.

The fate of Mr. J. Clifford Kershaw, a retired Army captain, of Torquay, who was found shot dead in his dining-room, was further investigated at the resumed inquest vesterday

At the previous hearing Mrs. Kershaw, a hand-At the previous nearing Mrs. Kershaw, a nana-some woman with blue eyes and fair hair, stated that just before the tragedy she and her husband had quarrelled about her going to the pantomine Harry Cecil Mitchell, chauffeur to the Kershaws, said in the last fortnight he had heard Mr. Kershaw say, "If I have another quarrel I will shoot myself



Mrs. Kershaw (side face) and her daughter leaving after the inquest yesterday.

as sure as eggs are eggs." He was always saying, said the witness, "I will blow out my brains and go to my God like a soldier."

Robert Frost, a neighbour, said he returned home with Kershaw, and after the quarrel he followed Kershaw into the dining-room.

On Mrs. Kershaw coming in deceased grabbed at the plumes in her hat and pulled it off. Witness in her hat sold by the said of t

PHANTOM SERVANT. Shabby Trick of Mythical Mother Who Visits Beckenham and Vanishes

Servant-seeking women should beware of the Beckenham trick. It is the very latest swindle, and Beckenham is the place where it is at present being

rploited.

"A few days ago," writes a correspondent, "I as rather badly victimised. I did not lose very unch myself, but afterwards heard that no fewer han four other Beckenham women had been taken

n four other Beckenlam women and we by the same trick.

I am one of the unfortunate housewives who ie no servant. I simply cannot get one.

Eventually, in despair, I advertised. The tafternoon, about 4.30 p.m., the door-bell rang, opening the door I found an aged woman, who med on the point of fainling. She told me she I come about my advertisement. She had a stepgher, who was emimently suitable for the place, I who was coming up from Devonshire the next

The woman gave a glowing account of her step-aughter's qualifications. She added that she had alked all the way from East Putney to Becken-tur, so as to make sure of securing the place. The alk had taken her 7½ hours, and she had nothing eat the whole of the time.

"Naturally," adds the correspondent, "the least could do was to give the woman a substantial tea, ad, after taking her address, gave her what she told was the fare to East Putney, together with a life over.

me was the lare to East Putney, together a stamped addressed letter, to let me know the exact time when the step-diaghter would be in town, and where I could see her mistress, but had no reply. "Two days afterwards I sent her a prepaid telegram, and in exactly two hours time was informed by the Post Office that the name was unknown." And I am still looking for that

HOW WIVES ARE CHOSEN.

Lecturer's View of Wealthy Men Who Marry Chorus Girls.

On what principle did you select your wife? For her beauty, or for the qualities of her mind? This question is suggested by a lecture given yesterday at the Grafton Calleries by Mr. M. W. Kestinge, Reader in Education at the University of Oxford.

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Dealing with the subject of selection for marriage, Mr. Keatinge said that in the case of the pooter classes there was no selection as far as the men were concerned.

"In the case of the rich," he went on, "one is driven to the conclusion that ornamental qualities are the determining qualities.

"We find our young men of wealth marrying thorus girlis, a process with they are selecting for the most superficial qualities, girls who frequently have been driven to their mode of life because their fathers had been selected for failure owing to the absence in them of those qualities which the State most, needs."

It was in the professional classes in which selection for marriage was likely to be found, Mr. Keatinge concluded.

NOT TO BE EATEN.

Fruit is now used as a table decoration in conjunction with flowers. One can mingle roses at 1s, each with grapes at 39s, a 1b.

In the West End of London yesterday The Daily Mirror saw daffoldis, tulips and other spring flowers mixed with little branches of orange foliage and oranges suspended in a large jurdinier to be placed in the centre of a table.

"All kinds of fruits are used—especially those that lend themselves to spray form," a representative of the firm told The Daily Mirror.

THIS MORNING'S NEWS ITEMS.

Not a Telegram This Time

By supporting a banned play dealing with the Hohenzullern family, the German Crown Prince, says the Central News, is reported to have created a new sensation in Germany.

Male Attire to Trap Husband.

"I did it to catch my husband, who, I heard, was going out with another woman," said Alice Elbourne at Clerkenwell yesterday when asked why she went out dressed as a man.

From injuries received on Wednesday while practising a special turn called "The Dive to Death," Bert Bray, skating rink instructor at Bognor Kursaal, died yesterday morning.

Plea for Sentenced Woman

Escapes Made Easy.

By walking out of a door, which had been left open, two prisoners named Isaac Hustler and Wil-liam Firth escaped while being taken to the cells at Bradford Police Court.

Tried to Poison Her Boy.

Found guilty of the attempted murder of her four-year-old son by administering poison, Rebecca Holland was sentenced at the Old Bailey yesterday to twelve months' imprisonment

ONE-TONGUE MEN.

Stick-in-Rut Workers Who Only Know One Language.

THE KING'S ADVICE.

To learn a foreign language is of great value to young men. In Germany everyone has to learn at least one foreign language,

This is the sound advice to young business men given by the King when speaking to Mr. J. A. Sinclair, educational director of the Y.M.C.A.,

Sinciair, educational director of the X.M.C.A., during the royal visit to the new institute in Totenham Court-road.

To what extent are French, German and other foreign languages learnt by the young men of this country? Are they making any attempt to improve their position by learning at least one language?

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FIRM'S LANGUAGE CLASSES.

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"For a young business man I think German is the most useful language.

At one London firm—that of Messrs. Thomas Cook and Sen, tourist agents—languages are taught to employees as a matter of course.

"Boys and young men joining our firm are expected to learn at least one language," said an official. "At our winter classes we have some official, "At our winter classes we have some Spanish and other foreign languages." How some London firms have already followed the King's advice and encouraged members of the staff to become linguists was explained by the secretary of the Berlitz School of Languages.

"We are sending out teachers," he said, "to not a few London banks, the big stores and railway companies, to instruct young employees.

"Spanish is being more and more used business men to-day owing to the increasing trade between Great Britain and South America."

ACTOR'S LUCK.



Mr. J. K. Hackett, the American actor, who has in-herited £300,000 from a niece who hated him. With no will, he inherits the money as next-of-kin.

WHAT THE CAPTAIN WROTE.

WHAT THE CAPTAIN WRUIE.

A libel action, which the four children of Captain P., S. Huth, of Tunbridge Wells, had brought against their father, was mentioned in the Appeal Court yesterday, when their Lordships had before them the appeal of the father against an order for a writ of attachment against him made by Mr. Justice Coleridge in chambers.

It was stated that Captain Huth was living apart from his wife. He had written letters to her, and on the envelopes were offensive observations, one being: "The Runaway Wife." The children of the marriage had brought an action for libel, alleging that their legitimacy had been impugned.

The appeal, it was decided by the Court, should stand over until to-day.

£1,000,000 FOR THE AIR.

The Army Estimates for 1914-15, with Colonel Seely's memorandum explaining them, were issued last evening. They show an expenditure of £28,845.000 on the Army, an increase of £625,000 over 1913-14. The increase is explained by the new scheme of pay for officers and of promotion from the ranks and by the development of airmanship. The vote for flying is now £1,000,000.

The amount last year was £520,000.

£100,000 RANSOM OR A GRAVE.

EL PASO, March 5.—Senhor Luis Terrazas, jun, who has been held prisoner by the rebels for many montls has until to-morrow to pay £100,000 to General Villa on pain of death.

General Luis Terrazas, the father of the prisoner, has sent a telegram to General Villa informing him that the messenger would arrive with the money to-morrow night.—Reuter



Retort Courteous

Miss Lena Ashwell.

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who is joining in the protest against the sweating evil at the Arts Centre this afternoon, has a quiet way with unruly servants. One of her maids recently, when reproved for care-lessness, replied to the effect that she was as

good as her mistress.
"Oh, no," said Miss Ashwell smilingly, "I am a good actress, but you are not a good housemaid." The maid collapsed.

The Surprise Party.

The best story in Paris now, so a friend just back from the Gay City tells me, is of a "Surprise Party" during last week's Mardi Gias carnival.

A party of some twenty revellers, all in costume or disguised, decided to call in upon a friend and his wife who they knew were dining simply at home that night.

At eight o'clock the noisy party arrived, dashed furiously up the stairs and rang the flat bell. After a little delay the maid appeared and assured the jesters that nobody was at home.

"But we know they are," cried the jesters;
"we've come to dinner, and we're coming in to search."

The Failing Jest.

For the next ten minutes a boisterous game of hide and seek was played by the revellers. They searched the flat throughout, looked in cupboards, chests, everywhere, but no sign of their quarry was found. The joke was falling flat, and they reassembled in the hall with doleful faces, prepared to admit themselves fooled.

The Surprisers Surprised.

Then, when the whole party was about to

Then, when the whole party was about to troop away disconsolate, one of the noisiest of the searchers, a man in an amazing disguise, began to laugh.

Instantly the others recognised the voice of the master of the house. He and his wife had realised the joke as soon as the party arrived. They were already in costume for the carnival, and had skilfully mingled with the jokers in their wild search from room to recom without being noticed. room without being noticed.

"You Made Me Love You."

"Dark Rosaleen.—Has the time not come that we should raise our voices in harmony?—Diatheke."—From yesterday's Morning Post. "Gee Gee."

I hear that George Grossmith is going into management himself on his return to

England.
Paris thinks all young Englishmen of means
dress like "Gee Gee."



When he was making a great success over there in one of the revues several tailors copied some of his most extravagant garments and advertised them as "latest West E n d L o n d o n fashions."

From the top of an omnibus in one of London's main thoroughfares I saw in a provision dealer's window this sign. "Fresh Roast Owls." Here, I thought, is a new delicacy, and I clambered hurriedly from the vehicle to buy some.

The shopkeeper seemed annoyed when I asked for an owl. He didn't keep them, nor did anyone else, he said. So I dragged him out to look at his own sign. He gasped, but was able to explain.

was able to explain.

An initial "F" had gone astray, and it was only chickens he was advertising after

Another Famous "Bull."

"Your note on famous 'bulls,'" writes a prespondent, "recalls a famous 'bull' by ir William Hart-Dyke, the Unionist ex-

"Mr. 'Jimmy' Lowther, if I remember accu rately, had called attention to the Sessional Order which forbade the intervention of peers

laughter by remarking, 'The right hon, gentleman has caught big fish this time—he has gone to the top of the tree to find them!"

A Bright Scene Coming.
There should be a bright little scene in the House of Commons for the Church Commons for the Church party next Tuesday, when Sir John Randles, the eminent Wesleyan, makes his attack upon Mr. Lloyd George, a brother Nonconformist.

Sir John is complaining of the Chancellor's "repeated inaccuracies" and his "gross and unfounded

to lack sting. It was Sir John Randles who captured North-West Manchester for the Unionists at the 1912 by-election.

Lessons for Bargain-Hunters.

Remarkable crowds have been attending the series of Daily Mirror demonstrations on the science of shopping, at which much valuable advice on new spring fashions has been given. To-day's demonstrations on "How to Tell a Bargain," at Harrod's, should be amongst the most attractive, for there is nothing which appeals so strongly to human nature as to get something for less than one expected to pay. Of course, the bargain has to be the genuine article, and the object of to-day's lecture-displays is to tell women how to apply for themselves many kinds of tests to the goods they think of choosing. The first is at 11 a.m., and the second at 3 p.m., and everybody who comes early—whether a ticket-holder or not—is sure of a good seat. is sure of a good seat.

orce of Habita

The telephone girl was attending evening service, and fell asleep during the sermon. At the close the curate said: "We will now sing hymn number three forty-one-three-four

She woke just in time to hear the number, yawned, and snapped: "Line engaged. Call again,

Rhoda Symons.

One of the most interesting figures in last night's new play at the St. James's Theatre was Rhoda Symons. A few years ago she used to be described in the literary salons of London as "the most beautiful woman in England." But how many people in the St. James's audience knew that the charming actress was the famous Mrs. Arthur Symons, who only a short time ago was acclaimed as the queen of literary London?

The Poetical Nineties.

rately, had called attention to the Sessional Order which forbade the intervention of peers in parliamentary elections.

"Sir William, commenting on the recital of eminent peers who had broken the Order, There were Lionel Johnson, Francis Thompcaused uproarious on Ernest Dawson and John Davidson, all writing laughter by remarking,

wonderful verse in slender wonderful verse in stender little books, bound in precious covers and pub-lished on superfine paper, with enormous margins.

How They Lived and Died.

They were brave young nen, in a sense. They tried to make an heroic compromise between life and art. And life conquered: it killed them. Ernest Dawson finished by falling in love with a Sohomitis. waitress

He wrote beautiful verses Miss Rhoda Symons, who appeared last night in the new Sutro play at St. James's Theatre to her, but she broke his heart by marrying a waiter.

his "gross and unfounded attacks upon in-francis Thompson begged his bread and sold dividuals." Mr. George's reply is not likely matches in the Strand. The Meynell family matches in the Strand. The Meynell family saved him. Lionel Johnson died in what coroners describe as "distressing circumstances" in the Temple. Davidson committed suicide

Royalty Incognito at the Ball.

I wonder how many of the nearly 7,000 odd people present at the Chelsea Arts Club Ball on Wednesday night knew that several royal personages were dancing on the floor?

personages were cancing on the floor?

The Chelsea Arts is by far the most Bohemian of all the big balls, and thus it was that many really eminent society people (including two well-known Ambassadors) attended as plain "Mr. Jones and party" or Mrs. Smith and party."

Miss Ruth Vincent and the Fight.

Miss Ruth Vincent corrects a statement of mine about the Wells-Blake fight on Tuesday night. "I was not a spectator of the fight, nor was I present at the Palladium on that night,"

Miss Vincent, I am sorry.

To-day's Grumble

The vicar of Brixton, the Rev. A. J. Waldron, adds his grievances to my grumble collection. He strongly objects, he says, to parsons who are not manly, to actors who can't act, to vocalists who can't sing and to people who come to church with heavenly expressions, but who mut nothing in the place.

put nothing in the plate.
"But my pet aversion is," he adds, "the man who will whistle in the tramway-car or omnibus and thinks the railway compartment

"Indeed, I prefer a garrulous old man or woman to the whistling fiend."

I met Mr. Alfred Moore, a Clerkenwell merchant, yesterday. He told me he was much interested in reading the article in The Daily Mirror on the new fad for collecting first issues of railway tickets.

"I bought the first ticket issued by the Metropolitan Railway at Farringdon-street when the tine was opened on January 10, 1863. It was a return, Farringdon-street to Pishork-road and it here the three zeros. 000.

Bishop's-road, and it bore the three zeros, 000.
"I was a youth of twenty at the time"

"Headache and Skipper."

"Headache and Skipper."
Miss Sari Petrass, Mariposa of "The Marriage Market," is Hungarian by birth, but
entirely British by sympathy.
The other day she said to a friend; "I am
getting quite English. This morning I have
to my breakfast headache and skipper." The
friend was baffled. The "headache" puzzled
him, but he was sympathetic; the "skipper"
defied his understanding so he asked for an defied his understanding, so he asked for an explanation.

Then he discovered that the pretty actress's breakfast had been of nothing more terrible than haddock and kipper.

Lifelong Study.

Mr. "Tommy" Meighan, Mr. Seymour Hicks's young leading man in "Broadway Jones," speaks his lines with an American

At a supper the other night a "gushing young thing" exclaimed: "Oh, Mr. Meighan, what a fascinating American twang you have! Did you have to study long to acquire

"No," he replied, "not very long. Thirty the States."

He Likes London Audiences.

Mr. Meighan told me he loved London audiences because they were so quick to seize the points of humorous lines, and were so cosmopolitan

even grasped the meaning of the slang phrases of the American language of business, which, like a famous New York brand of caramels, are "fresh every



THE RAMBLER.

Mr. "Tommy" Meigha

LOVE THAT COOLED.

Workhouse Courtship Ends in Damages for Breach of Promise.

A remarkable letter breaking off an engagement was read at the London Sheriff's Court yesterday when an action for breach of promise was brough

when an action for breach of promise was brought by Miss Ada Martindale, of Kings Langley (Hert-fordshire), against Mr. William James, labour master of the Woolwich Union. Mr. Matthew Arnold, for Miss Martindale, said that in 1911 she was head laundress at the Woolwich Workhouse, where defendant was labour master. They became friendly, and in June, 1912, they were

From that time plaintiff devoted the major por-tion of her wages towards the preparation of the home, and once or twice she lent the defendant money, as he had got into difficulties through

gambling.

In April last the defendant's love cooled, the reason being that he had found another lady, to whom he had transferred his affections.

Mr. Arnold read an extract from the letter in which defendant broke off the engagement:—

hich defendant broke on the engagement:

It is twelve months since you want to Hendon, and I remember now it was your birthday. I am sorry to say I had forgotten it. Twelve monthal and I am exactly in the same state as I was a year ago. Is it any use us the same state as I was a year ago. Is it any use us the want of the same state as I was a year ago. Is it any use use the what prometts there are I'm aure I don't know. I have tried to keep straight, but it is no use, and it's not fair to you, so the only thing I can see for it is for you to let me gy to hell my own way, and not drag you with me. I have gambed practically all last months, money I have gambed practically all last months.

away. The jury assessed the damages at £25.

CREASELESS COMEDY.

Debut in Baggy Trousers.

Sir George Alexander in baggy trousers !

Incredible? Not a bit of it; he appeared in them last night, in full view of an audience at St. them hast night, in this view of an antience at 2 James's Theatre, where Mr. Alfred Sutro's new comedy, "The Two Virtues," was produced. The virtues are very old virtues. They are Chastity and

NOTHING TO COLLECT.

Sir G. Alexander's Sensational First Night Dearth of Modern Products Combining Beauty and Chances of Profit.

If a person caught the collecting mania to-day what modern things would he buy which would eventually prove a profitable investment as well as being an artistic addition to the home?

being an artistic addition to the home?
Beyond collecting the pictures of some clever
English artists, his task would be somewhat difficult, for this is an age of reproduction, and reproductions never can become valuable.
"Our potters turn out a certain amount of original
stuff and some fine glazes which are expensive and
not over-artistic," said a collector to The Daily
Mirror, "but they are too prone to copy the designs of the famous potters of a century of more

virtues are very old virtues. They are Chasitty and Charity.

The play, however, is novel and even sensational, for it presents us to Sir George Alexander in the very worst clothes he has ever worn in his life. Sir George's trousers are not only uncreased; they are baggy at the knees. He wears, too, a floppy green bow-tie, with a badly-fitting morning suit. Some of the women in the audience gasped their astonishment.

"Do look at are corgel's trousers and even Mr. Williams and the strength of the strength

CELEBRITY IN A DAY.

Rush to Adopt Orphan Animals Follows "Daily Mirror" Announcement.

. The service and circulation of your paper are simply, wonderful. It is now only 10 a.m. and we have had between thirty to forty applications for the Aberdean.

He has become a public celebrity. The applications are by telephone, telegrams and callers, the greater number by phone. There is no doubt we shall have huntreds of callers.

Thus wrote the secretary of the Animals' Hos-pital and Institute, Kinnerton-street, Wilton-place, S.W., yesterday to the Editor of *The Daily Mirror*.

TO-DAY-TO-MORROW

AND TILL MARCH

You can buy any form of Wool Garment for Ladies, for Gentlemen, and for Children 10% to 50% Cheaper than the usual SCOTCH WOOL AND HOSIERY STORE'S Price. In the ordinary way their PRICES are LOW, as the Goods come direct from the Mills and Warehouses to the Wearer. Therefore, at the SALE NOW PROCEEDING.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1914.

IS HE RICH?

HE omniscient Parisian waiter has again been giving lessons in psychology to a newspaper correspondent: he has indiscreetly been giving away-for the thousandth time—that trait in human nature which makes a man, dining with ladies, or a lady, at a restaurant, afraid to count his change in front of them.

Everybody knows the predicament. Even if you do count your change, and extract from it the Argentine, Greek, and Turkish coins (as constantly has to be done in Italy), or remove (as in France) the large soupplate pieces made of lead, and bearing upon them the undeniably respectable head of Louis Philippe—even then the waiter has his pull over you.

We remember once dining at a restaurant where there's a choice of two dinners at two prices. The waiter here used always to bow as he handed the larger menu and say: "Will you take this dinner, sir (pause), or the cheaper one?'

the cheaper one?"
And seldom—indeed, never—had we the courage to say airlly, "Oh, the cheaper one will do!" Nothing ought to be too good for one's guests. It's a law of hospitality. You cannot openly give them a cheaper one if there's another dinner at hand.
At least, this you cannot do if you are poor. Because, if you are poor, you must be always spending money. If you are rich, you need seldom spend it, and you probably seldom do. That is why, in this affair—this triangular matter—of the girl and the man taking her out to dinner and and the man taking her out to dinner and

the waiter, we chiefly pity the girl.

We pity her for the ignorance under which she lives; if for one moment she supposes it is a sign of poverty in a man to count his change, or to choose the cheaper dinner. Misguided girl! Does she not know that these are symptoms of wealth? Rnow that these are symptoms of weath? Mever believe, for matrimonial purposes, in the man who spends lavishly. He's on his last legs. He counts on his marriage "to regild his shield," as the French say. Counts he his change? Marry him. He has change to count. But get a settlement

The rich man of the common type The rich man of the common type we mean is bold in a myriad devices for the avoidance of what he calls "needless expense"—meaning by that phrase money spent on other people. He will nurmur to you as you take your seat that "the champagne here's awful stuff" and suggest trying the Médos or Beaune Inférieure. He will not shy at the cheaper dinner. He will boldly say at the end: "Here, waiter, you haven't given me enough." haven't given me enough.'

He is rich. He is also mean. But, then, if you marry for money, you must have something to put up with. And we have observed, with sympathy, with sorrow, that what those who marry for money chiefly have to put up with is the failure to get the money they married for. W. M.

A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

The promises of this world are vain phantoms; and to confide in one's self, and become something of worth and value is the best and safest course.—Michael Angelo.

The seventh volume of Mr. Haselden's cartoons is now ready. It contains over a hundred of the best of those published during the past year. You may buy "Daily Mirror Refactions" for 6d, at any bookstall, or you may obtain it post free for \$4d, from "The Daily Mirror," 23, Bouveries.

THROUGH "THE MIRROR."

THE FUTURE LIFE.

THE FUTURE LIFE.

I WAS for a number of years a Christian minister—to use an embracing term—and many things in my past life cause me bitter regret. Nothing causes me greater suffering than to remember that once upon a time, privately and from the pulpit, I dared to teach that an infinitely good Good would send poor human beings to an eternal hell.

Apart from the distress that I must have caused to many innocent souls, I humiliate myself at the recollection of my presumptuous blasphemy against the common Father of all mankind. Every honest man and woman knows instinctively that there is no such place as hell, and that when this life is over, whatever happens to us individually, it will be for the best. The fate that awaits us is the one which our Heavenly Father has predestined for us from all eternity, and to think

HOW HE PROPOSED.

WITHOUT A JOB.

Is Character Improved or Harmed by a Period of Unemployment?

ARE you out of a job? Get together all the ARE you out of a job: Get together all the money you cam-you ought to have saved some—and give a rattling good dinner to all the business men you know. Feed them; fill them with wine. Then ask them what's going. If they can't give you anything they will at least be indiscreed in their cups, and you will pick up a useful hint or two as to what may be going elsewhere.

appear more prosperous than ever you were when working; stand drinks freely, appear not to care whether you get the job or not, and in nine cases out of ten you'll get it.

Some time ago I applied for a job in a firm where there was an opening for man at a salar sourced that I should secure the post and that I should be advised in the course of a day or two. Every day I called upon the firm, discussed various topics of the day with the man in charge, asked him to funch and generally convinced him that I was independent in that I was independent in the salaries of the salaries of the salaries of the day with the man in charge, asked him to funch and generally convinced him that I was independent in the salaries of the salarie

YOUR correspondent, "Full of Hobbies," says he is sure too much fuss is made nowadays; about work. He is equally sure leisure is just as improving. "Let me try and I'll enjoy another bout of it."

it."

I advise him to try in the building trades for a twelvemonth, and if he has not had enough leisure and walking about then he is just suited for that line of worklessness. READER. Chelmsford.

AS to whether being out of work is depressing, may I state my own experiences?

IN MY GARDEN.

MARCH 5.—Iris reticulata (the netted iris) is perhaps the most beautiful flower now to be found in the garden. If the bulbs were less expensive, and did not die out so quickly, these irises would certainly be grown by every garden byer. It is best to Pant them in light of the light of the bloscoms being deep violet blotched with golden yellow. Carnations may now be planted out in firm, but well dug, soil. E. F. Z.

HOW HE PROPOSED.

I SPENT my holidays last year with his people in a dear little Welsh village in the mountains. During one of those moments so full of happiness to "kindred spirits," he, in tender tones, whispered, "I'll marry you, won't I, Madge?" The friendly darkness hid my blushes, and he said again, "Won't I, Madge?" "Yes," I whispered, and then there was again a glorious happy silence.

MADGE.

A REPORT is going about in our village that my sweetheart and myself are to be married at Easter. I naturally asked my sweetheart how it came about, and laughingly said, "And you didn't even ask me."

Guess my surprise when he said, "Oh, I took for the content of the content

SCENES FOR A MODERN PLAY: THE BEDROOM CRAZE.



Recent plays have abounded in bedroom scenes. Modern playwrights think it an unfailing attrac-tion to have the characters in an undress state. Soon no doubt a play will be written with the bed-room touch right through.—(By Mr. W. K. Haselden.)

that He has created us for an eternity of torture is so great a blasphemy that the teachers of such a doctrine should be segregated from the rest of makind. "I would rather," says sence a somewhere, "that people said Seneca never existed than say that he was a vile, savage and vengeful monster." So many people would make Almighty God to appear. EX-ROMAN CATHOLIC PRIEST.

A CHILD who has been brought up in the knowledge of the boundless Love of God, and who ledge of the ledge of the boundless Love of God, and who ledge of the boundless Love of God, and who ledge of the boundless Love of God, and who ledge of the ledge of the ledge

A CHILD who has been brought up in the know-ledge of the boundless Love of God, and who is old enough to understand the difference between right and wrong, knows well enough-without having to be told—that hell is separation from that Love by deliberate wrong-doing, and, knowing this, he will at once seek forgiveness when he has done wrong, with that trusting simplicity which is the greatest charm of childhood. Where there is proper home training and discipline there will always be loving obedience, and therefore surely no occasion to sadden little hearts with terrifying pictures of what does not exist at all, being merely the product of morbid and uncontrolled imagination.

THE LOVE-LETTER.

THE LOVE-LETTER.

If the scorn of your bright eyms
Have power to raise such love in mine,
Alack, in me what strange effect
Would they work in mild aspect!
Whiles you chid me, I did love;
How then might your prayers move!
Little knows this love in me.
And by him seal up thy mind.
Whether that thy youth and kind
Will the faithful offer take
Of me, and all they company,
And then I'll study how to die.

—SHARESPEARE.

MR. BALFOUR'S HOLIDAY ON THE RIVIERA.



Lady Wolverton playing lawn tennis.

When the winter sports are over, there is a rush to the Riviera, where bright sunshine can be enjoyed until it is time to return to London for the season. Among the visitors to Monte Carlo is Mr. A. J. Balfour. The

Mr. Balfour.

Miss de Trafford playing golf.

ex-Premier is an enthusiastic lawn tennis player, and the picture was taken as he was leaving the courts. Lady Wolverton and Miss de Trafford are seen at Cannes.

Marriage of



The marriage took place at Co (better known as Enver Bey), and daughter of the la

ABOLISHING TOWELS.



Drying the hands by means of a current of dry air. The device, which has abolished towels, is in a Washington (U.S.A.) office.

PIOUS MINERS.



A cross 500ft, below the surface, at which the workers in a Mexican silver mine worship.

Candles are always burning.

THE CHIN LIFTER.



A device called the chin-lifter, which is in use in certain American schools. It corrects the tendency to stoop over the desk.

BEDROOM PLAYS THE CRAZ



"A Pair of Silk Stockings" scene.

This year what has been called the "undressed drama" is the craze, and severe plays now running in London have a bedroom scene, with a certain amount of dirobing. The pictures show scenes from "A Pair of Silk Stockings" at the Criterio



The black swans in St. James's Park on the island they have constructed on the lake. On it they have their nest.

amous Turk.



ess Najie, the bride, tinople yesterday of Enver Pasha Turkish Minister for War, with a nce Suleiman Effendi.

THE K.R.R. POINT-TO-POINT STEEPLECHASES.



Helped over ditch by policeman.



A bad blunder in the "Celer et Audax" race.

There was some capital sport at the King's Royal Rifle Corps point-to-point steeplechases, which were held at Raywood Farm, near Hawthorn Hill yesterday. The fall illustrated in the race for the "Celer et Audax"

Cup was a remarkable one, as the rider succeeded in alighting on his feet. There were five events on the card, including the race for farmers.—(Daily Mirror photographs.)

OF THE MOMENT IN LONDON.



Workhouse scene in "Acid Drops."

Theatre and "Acid Drops," the curtain-raiser at the Royalty. This latter piece is followed by "Peggy and Her Husband," in which there is another bedroom scene.—(Daily Mirror and Wrather and Buys.)

NOVEL TIME BEATER.



Light which flashes rhythmically in a New Jersey church, thus enabling the congregation to sing in time to the music of the organ.

PORT ARTHUR ECHO.



General Stoessel, who has had a paralytic stroke. He was sentenced to death for surrendering Port Arthur, but was pardoned.

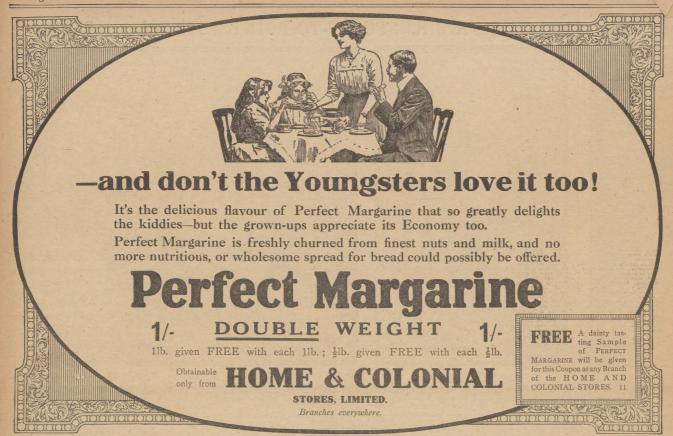
ROUGH POLICEWOMEN.



Twenty of Chicago's policewomen have been relieved from duty in a district affected by a strike of waitresses. The picture shows a feminine guardian of the law in full uniform.

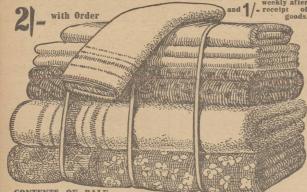


Policewoman wearing a plain, neat uniform and badge. The Chicago women are said to be too rough, though they have not the physical strength to quell a disturbance.



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he Story of a Woman's

Essiron, and that I was Mrs. Cassilis!

The rest of that afternoon was a series of confused events in my mind—I remember making my way almost blindly along the crowded streets of the city, and once when pausing at a crossing hearing a man say to his friend:

"By Gad, Harris, there's a beautiful girl if you like!"

you like!"

His friend agreed and they lingered a moment looking at me. Little did they know that the face

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shamelessly abandoned me, and on a warm sunny afternoon I made my way to his chambers in Magnus-court, the Temple.

On the doormat outside his rooms on the fourth floor was a small milk can with a brass label on its closed lid.

I knocked with my knuckles and was startled by a loud voice, which seemed to be immediately behind the panels.

"Half!" shouted the voice.

I waited a moment, then knocked again.

"Half, I said!" bellowed the voice, louder this time.

NEW SERIAL.

It was my turn to look astonished then.
"A warrant—a warrant for his arrest? It's impossible—".

Then I broke into a laugh. The whole thing was preposterous, and, of course, there was only only the real reason for the presence of the real reason for the presence of the real reason for the reason for

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will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No matter how gull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, and beauty and shimmer of true hair health. Get a 1s. 14d. bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any Chemist, and prove that your hair is as pretty, and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.—(Advt.)

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COUGHING. just try a chip or two of

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Ask your Chemist for "Solazzi" and look for the name branded on the sticks.

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What Women Hate.

"Helpful Gossip."

Every woman hates a shiny nose and a dull or greasy complexion. Few know that there is an instantaneous remedy at hand in the home, one that is absolutely harmless, and that defice detection even under the closest scrutiny. If you have no cleminite in the house get about an ounce from your chemist, and add just sufficient water to dissolve it. A little of this lotion applied to the face will instantly cause the greasiness to disappear, and the skin will have a perfectly natural, velvety, youthful bloom that any woman might envy. The effect will last for many hours, and no powder is required, even under the most trying conditions, indoors or out. To prepare the face, neck and arms for a long evening in a hot baltroom nothing can compare with this simple home-made lotion.

* * To make the eyelashes grow long, dark and curling, apply a little mennaline with the finger tips occasionally. It is absolutely harmless and beautifies the eyebrows as well.

" Wavy " Shampoos.

"Homely Hints."

Few people know that stallax can be used as Few people know that stallax can be used as a shampoo and is far better than anything else for the purpose. It seems to have a natural affinity for the hair, leaving it very glossy, fluffy and with a pronounced natural "wave." A teaspoonful of stallax granules, dissolved in a cup of hot water, is more than sufficient. Genuine stallax comes to the chemist only in sealed 4lb. tins, a quantity sufficient to make up twenty-five or thirty separate shampoos. The indescribable lustre it imparts to the hair is quite injuntable.

To Kill Roots of Superfluous Hair.

"Home Science."

Women annoyed with disfiguring growths of Women annoyed with disfiguring growths of superfluous hair wish to know not merely how to temporarily remove the hair, but how to kill the hair roots permanently. For this purpose pure powdered pheminol, may be applied directly to the objectionable hair growth. The recommended treatment is designed not only to instantly remove the hair, but also to actually kill the roots so that the growth will not return. About an ounce of pheminol, obtainable from the chemist, should be sufficient.

The Real Cause of Most Bad Complexions.

"Health and Beauty."

It is an accepted fact that no truly beautiful complexion ever came out of jars and bottles, and the longer one uses cosmetics the worse the complexion becomes. Skin, to be healthy, the complexion becomes. Skin, to be healthy, must breathe. It also must expel, through the pores, its share of the body's effect material Creams and powders clog the pores, interfering both with elimination and breathing. If more women understood this there would be fewer self-ruined complexions. If they would use ordinary mercolised wax instead of cosmetics they would have natural, healthy complexions.

About Hair Tonics.

"Novel Recipes."

Each week almost one hears of some won-derful discovery for improving the hair, and although this paragraph may seem a little superfluous, an old-fashioned recipe may come as a welcome change. One thing about it is that it will grow hair, and also prevent it falling out. From your chemist get an original package of boranium, to this add 4-pint of bay rum, allow it to stand 30 minutes, then add sufficient water to make half a pint. Rub briskly into the scalp with the finger-tips and you will immediately experience that clean tingling sensation which is a sure sign of healthy action. Each week almost one hears of some won-

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A REAL BARGAIN MUST BE FASHIONABLE.

To-day's Demonstrations Will Show Ways of Saving 25 per Cent. of Outlay.

Two of the most valuable lecture displays in conping take place at Harrod's to-day.

ping take place at Harrod's to-day.

They will be emphatically demonstrations in money-saving. Both will be held in the bargain floor of Harrod's, and the best entrance is in Hansroad, though easy access can be gained from any part of the vast stores. The first is at 11 a.m., and the second at 3 p.m.

There will be room for everybody. As at all previous demonstrations an enormous number of readers have only found themselves able to attend at the last moment, special provision has been made on this occasion for those who have not had time to write for tickets.

One essential condition about a real bargain is that it must be fashionable. That will be borne in mind throughout the demonstration.

Below are a lew of the object lessons which will be given at to-day's demonstrations:—

GLOVES-Study the coloque in relation to the contume.

money.

Mr. W. J. Clark, head of the bargain department and one of the chief demonstrators to-day, explained how a woman by knowing a bargain when she sees it may be most fashionably dressed at a saving of more than 25 per cent.

This is how an outfit costing normally £812s. 4d. may be obtained for as little as £5 16s; 94d. by the woman who knows how:—

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Then there will be a special "question time," when the experts will solve on the spot any problems put to them.

Please come early—then, whether you have a ticket or not, there will be plenty of room.

KISS CURLS HAVE COME TO STAY IN PARIS.

They Are Being Worn with All Sorts of Headdresses-A Spanish Touch.

Several of the most important Paris dressmakers are giving great prominence this season to black and white—perhaps one ought to say to white, with touches of black; for in these beautiful models the

touches of black; for in these beautiful models the ivory tint plays a leading part.

White chiffon and ivory white Indian muslin are two of the favourite materials of the moment in this connection, and with these fragile stuffs broad black velvet ribbons are cleverly combined. For example, the model gown I have sketched this week. Here you have a model created by one of the most important dressmakers in Paris, and yet the materials are so simple, and so comparatively inexpensive, that the dress might be copied at small cost. small cost.
HIGHLY ORIGINAL SASH.

The dress itself is oyster-white satin in a supple texture, and the pleated tunic is in white childon. Double-width satin suitable for making this robe need not cost more than 3s, or 4s, a yard, and the accordion-pleated childon san be purchased all ready

use:

In a "clou" of this model is the highly original hof black velvet ribbon. It is passed under the fron tunic and is tied at one side in a loose how long ends trailing on the ground. A further the foldack is supplied by the chain of cut jeds which holds up the folds of the corsage is

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conjunction with the kiss-curl we find the bare forchead very much in evidence. This combination gives a Carmen-like appearance to many pretty grits, and the Spanish note is emphasised by the continued popularity of white silk stockings worn with very low black shoes.

Henna-tinted hair has quite gone out of fashion. The favourite colour of the present season, setting a side of the colours of the present season, setting a side of the colours of the part of the present season. This is one of the colours is a pale hand a precious possession. I have seen it stated in print that "powder and patches" are going out of fashion, but this is not really the case.

The Parisiennes associate powdered hair with a really elaborate evening toilette—the sort of dress which would be suitable for a gala performance at the opera.



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he Story of a Woman's Heart

(Continued from page 11.)

a few words what ha! happened, and of my visit to Robert's office, where I had learned he had gone abroad with some woman—presumably Miss Esbron—who was passing as his wife.
For a moment words seemed to stumble on Mr. Ross's lips.

"But—but I can't believe it of Robert," he

said.

I clutched the straw like a drowning person—I was standing before him now looking close into

I clutched the straw like a drowning person—I was standing before him now looking close into his face.

"You don't believe it's true?" I whispered.

"Nothing can make me believe it." uttered Mr. Ross, with the utmost crewilleless he was. Of flowers, he would not believe it with the standard of anyone on earth. He was one of those unselfish, simple-minded fellows who believe there is nothing but good in the world. The knowledge of this won all my trust and sympathy, and soon I found myself talking to him with an intimacy I had not believed possible. I told him most of what had happened to Robert and the most of what had happened to Robert and length. "Can you," I said at length. "Can you," I said the special world in the self-time of the self-ti

But he could only shake his head and repeat; 'It's so unlike Robert—so unlike him, so unlike him '1'

His cry was parrot-like, and I realised at length that I had really come there, had really sought that I had really come there, had really sought him out because I still hoped, and now all hope left me. And sitting in Micro down and wept. I had not schair me to to show my feelings—I believe with anyone else in the world nothing could have induced me to shed a tear, and yet, in the presence of this fumbling, simple-hearted-fellow I wept freely and heartbrokenly, as I had not wept since Robert's perfuly had been known to me. My face was buried in my hands, whoulders clumsity, almost as treated miscrably, "please, don't! We must not give up hope. Mrs. Cassilisme me used to me. That would be very, very foolish!" My tears upset him utterly, and I tried hard to pull myself together. His disjointed, encouraging words still came to me. "I'm a poor duffer, of our friend—I could do And then, when Robert comes back—"
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duct. We both knew they were the merest speculus. When at last I regained control of myself a look of infinite relief came into Mr. Ross's face, he dropped into a chair opposite me, and spoke with a januty air he did not feel.

"That's better," he said, rubbing his hands together, "that's better! That's better! Now we are getting cheerful again!"
He was scarcely older than I was, but he treated me as if I were a child. And in the end we discussed the immediate future—what money had I, and what was I going to do? And I had to confess that I had scarcely a penny and not a friend in all the world. He patted his chest. "Me," he said, "me, Mrs. Cassilis, if you will allow me.

After this he became resourceful. It seemed a relief to him to turn away from the dreadful subject of Robert's conduct.

"THE RETURN."

MR. Ross tried to get me work, and after to see me in my poor lodgings in Lambeth, and his visits always heartened me, though he was unable to bring me any news whatever of Robert. He broke to me gently the fact that Robert's office was closed and that my home and its possessions would soon be in the hands of the Official Receiver. He told me, however, that he was acting on my behalf, and that some of my personal possessions could be saved from the auction that was impending at the house.

Tremember always the sudden feeling of desolation that swept over me when Mr. Ross first told me that everything belonging to Robert and me was to be soil.

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I had gathered together with such joy and pride should be torm to pieces, and scattered amongst strangers.

One day Peter Ross arrived at my room with an official paper in his hand. His plain, rugged face was triumphase pensission for you," he said, "to visit belongings. I am afraid," he continued, "you will have to go under supervision of one of the Official Receiver's emissaries."

I took the paper from his hand and read the list of things I should be allowed to take away.

"I know it will be hard for you," said Mr. Ross ash eas we the tears well into my eyes, "but you know, Mrs. Cassilis, wer going to hope for the best." Hope for the best. Has was his tone cry. Sometimes I grew tired of the monotony of it. What wave cas they were?

I put the paper Mr. Ross had given me in a drawer after noting that I was to go next day at three o'clock. Since the night of Robert's return from Scotland and of Miss Esbron's visit, I had never been near our home, and the echo of the gate clanging behind me as I left it for ever dwell in my memory like a knell. It was partly pride, partly sensitiveness, that had kept me away so

long. A thousand times I had experienced a passionate yearning to gaze once more on the house that had been such a paradise to me, but always had represent and future that mattered.

I determined to go myself that night the house was empty. I knew that the catch of the French window opening from the drawing-room and overlooking the little garden was defective. I couldeasily get in that way. And what harm was there? I went as I had determined to go and the casily get in that way. And what harm was there? I went as I had determined to go and the countries of the



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Lutteur III., Covertcoat and Ballyhackle in To-day's Champion Steeplechase.

THREE WINNERS FOR HARTIGAN

Much the most important racing seen for some time takes place at Hurst Park this afternoon, when Lutteur III., favourite for the Grand National, will make a reappearance in the Chamon Steeplechase. He may be opposed by Covertat, Ballyhackle and Trianon III., so, in view of day's trial, it is scarcely surprising that there is no betting on the big Aintree race in London eterological.

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Five years ago Lutteur III, made a anccessful debut in gland by winning the corresponding race very easily from inster and at his next attempt he best thirty-one opperations of the statement of the st

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SELECTIONS FOR HURST PARK.

3.30.—LUTTEUR III. 4. 0.—WEST. 4.30.—ROSEY INA. DOUBLE EVENT FOR TO-DAY.

LUTTEUR and WEST.*

BOUVERIE.

HURST PARK PROGRAMME.

2.0 -STANLEY H'CAP 'CHASE, 100 sovs; 2m.										
vrs st ib	vrs st lb									
Trianon III a 12 7	Dick Dunn a 11 4									
Marcellinus a 12 4	Duc de Dantzig 5 11 1									
a Master at Arms a 12 4	Lace a 10 13									
Cooldreen a 12 2	George B a 10 13									
The Last a 11 7	Kenia 5 10 11									
Platonic a 11 6	Cornongross 6 10 7									
aSavannah II 6 11 6	Ewell Lass 4 10 0									
2.30WIMBLEDON S. HURDLE, 95 sovs; 2m.										
yrs at 1b	yrs st 1b									
a Wild Aster a 11 7	Border Chief 5 11 3 The Dacoit 4 10 7 Sumurun 4 10 7 aCollante 4 10 7									
a Silver Cherry a 11 7	The Dacoit 4 10 7									
Bouton Rouge a 11 7	Sumurun 4 10 7									
Dandyprat a 11 7	aCollante 4 10 7									
Tip and Run a 11 7	Duke of Tipperary 4 10 7									
	5 sovs; 2m;									
yrs st lb	yrs st 1b									
Grey Leg IV: a 12 7	Quick Wit 5 11 4									
Cowper's Oak 6 11 9	. Crete 5 11 0									
aKing Star a 11 9	Blair Hampton a 11 0									
Red Sorrel a 11 5										
3.30CHAMPION CHASE.	200 sovs · 31m									
vrs st lb	vrs st 1b									
aCovertcoat a 11 7	Alfred Noble a 11 0									
Lutteur III a 11 7	Trianon III a 11 0									
Ballyhackle a 11 7	Fleeting Peace a 11 0									
Rory O'Moore a 11 7	Wavelet a 11 0									
4.0SPRING MAIDEN HU	RDLE, 95 soys: 2m.									
vrs st 1b	vrs st ib									
Warbine 5 12 9	Southover 4 10 7									
Velociter 6 11 7	Mickey Free 4 10 7									
Persuade a 11 7	Carson 4 10 7									
West 6 11 7	Carson 4 10 7 Evening Pleasure 4 10 7 St. Julian 4 10 7									
Aurette 5 11 3										
Curvet 5 11 3	Primrose Path 4 10 7									
aKnuck Na Corriga 5 11 3	Don Royal 4 10 7									
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Dan Casey 4 11 3	Altered 4 10 7									
Bellringer 4 11 3	The state of the s									
4:30,-RICHMOND H'CAP HURDLE, 140 sovs; 2m.										
yrs st lb	yrs st lb									
a Fred Keene 6 12 7	Doctor Break 5 11 7									
General's Pride a 12 6	Claretoi a 11 4									
Wanono 6 12 4	Glazebrook a 11 4									
Thaddeus a 12 1	Colonist 5 11 3 Levanter a 11 2									
Mutton Cutlets 5 12 0 Bath a 11 13	Levanter a 11 2									
	Vedrines 5.11 1									

Red Damsel 6 11 13 | Wavelad 5 10 Moscato a 11 12 | Broadwood 4 10 Tweedledum a 11 8 | Rosey Ina 4 10 YESTERDAY'S RACING RETURNS.

CATWICK.

e.) 25.—Copthorne Hurdle. 2m.—Castleton (1-4, G. Duller), Speedy King (10-1), 2; Courtlands (10-1), 3. Also Rack Rent. (F. Hartigan.)

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PRESTON WIN AGAIN.

North End Defeat Manchester United-Can They Avoid Relegation?

Preston North End accomplished another capital performance yesterday, when in a First League match they defeated Manchester United at Deep Calle by 4 goals to 2. Goals to 3. Goals to 3. Goals to 3. Goals to 4. Goals to 4.

'VARSITIES DEFEAT CHELSEA.

Chelses put practically a reserve team into the field against a combined Oxford and Cambridge eleven at Stamford Bridge yesterday and were been grane, but quite 4,000 people were present.

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FOOTBALL FUN AT TOTTENHAM.

The Tottenham Hotspur football ground as White Hartlane was yeaterday the scene of another stirring encounter,
only this time not of the usual kind associated with the
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who had won or what the score was.

The side-shows, too, were gand the big crowd must
have gone home substitute. [Photographs on page 16.]

OTHER RESULTS.

ATHENIAN LEAGUE.—Tufnell Park (h) 2, Grays ATHENIAN LEAUVE—Tunnell Fark (h) 2, Grāyi Athleito 1, METROPOLITAN MID-WEEK LEAGUE—Jupot Mid-diesex Regiment (h) 4, Tettenham Thursday — West LONDON 1, Tettenham Thursday 1, Camden Town Thursday 6, Myel Flinchley Thursday 10, 1 Camden Town Thursday 3, North Eaddington Thursday (h) 1, NOETH-EAST LONDON THURSDAY LEAGUE—Manor Park Randbless (h) 3, Igric 3; East Ham Thursday (h) 5, Forest Gate Thursday 2; Standard Thursday (h) 6, Walthamadow Town Thursday 10, 1 Cambridge 1, 1 Cambridge

£1,000 PURSE FOR WELLS AND COFFEY

Mr. Dick Burge informed The Daily Mirror yesterday that he had decided to offer a purse of £1,000 for a contest between Bombardies Wells and Jim Coffey, the Irish heavy champlonahip of Great Ritlain, at present held by Wells. The boxers will be allowed to agree upon their side stakes, referee and date of contest, but the time is not to be less Mr. Burge has submitted the proposal to Wells, and is forwarding it to Coffey, with a request for an immediate read of the decided of the work of the decided of the content of the decided of the decid

ARMY RACQUETS CHAMPIONSHIP.

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BOAT RACE PRACTICE.

The Cambridge crew were out twice at Markew yesterday. Tower was back in the boat at stroke, but in the after-noon Clark, who is suffering from a sore throat, was given a rest. S. E. Swang rowed in his place at No. 5, and A. A. Swann, the spare man, came in at No. 2. Mr. Bruce

sached.

In the morning the crew were out for a little while in the Marlow Reach, and in the afternoon they had a long the crew completed the distance in the good time of m. 24s. They rowed with fine length and dash. Afteracts they paddled on to Cookham and then worked their addled on the cookham and then worked their acts they paddled on to Cookham and then worked their acts they paddled on the cookham and then worked their acts of the cookham and the coo

TO-MORROW'S CUP-TIES.

Which Clubs Will Reach the Semi-Final Stage?-Local Interests.

Stage?—Local Interests.

To-morrow is Cup-tie day, and in the centres where football is the great interest excitement is running high. In London, Birminghum, Sunderland, Sheffield, Manchester, Liverpool and Burnley particularly everyone is eager to see how the games result, and which clubs will reach the semi-final stage of the competition.

Hy almost spenal consent the Sunderland-Burnley match is the pick of the four. In being drawn at home in four-although last season they played four ties at Roker, owing to the second round game with Manchester City at Hyde Road being abmonoral.

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INTERNATIONAL BADMINTON.

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BILLIARDS CHAMPIONSHIP.

At the Bolium Hall yesterlar attenance, George Gray, who was 1,624 points in arrears at the recumption, played a break of 200, which included 288 off the red, but this run was almost the limit of his success in the afternoon.

"In y agreemed for the residence was 450, with an average of the residence was 100, with an average been to such advantage at his favourite stroke, while failing see compencounly at his other attempts to keep the Receip and the strong of the residence of the residence of the residence of the design see the feature of his display was the way in which he replied to In the evening the closing scores were Reece, 6,001; Gray, 4,036, in the other matches were:—At Schoesquare: Inman, 6,001; Hayreron, 5,558, Ab Leicester-square: Falkiner, 5,665; Sevenson, 5,435.

THE WORLD OF SPORT.

An exceptionally fine specimen of the grayling, weighing 34lb—a 14lb, grayling is considered, a nice fish of its kind—has been captured in the Derwent, at Ganton, near Scar-At, the King's Royal Rifle Corps point-to-point races at Hawthorn Hill yesterialy a cup presented by his Majsigity the King, in the Past and Present Race, was won by Mr. H. C. M. Porter, on his horse Folio We.

c. M. Perfer. on his horse Follows.

At Cambridge resterlay, in the first division one-nile re-lay race, Downing College ID, Gordon Davies, O. V. Bais-bridge, J. A. Wilcock, J. G. Will and R. B. Woodle best Trusty College ID, Gordon Davies, O. V. Bais-bridge, T. Wilcock, J. G. Will and R. B. Gorges, R. C. College IV. William C. W. William C. B. Woodle best clipty yards, in the fast time of 3m, 24 4-55, returnsh 19-11 has been found necessary to make two alterations in the hockey team chosen to represent brightenin in the match take his place at centre forward, and H. J. Goodwin will ply in this position. A. J. Leinkoln was solected for out-tered will take his place.

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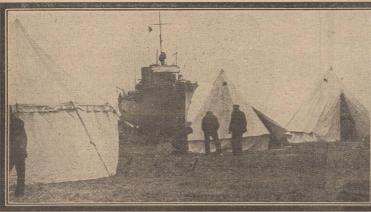
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The sailors' tents and the stranded vessel.

The crew of the new oil-driven torpedo-boat destroyer Laverock, which stranded on the rocky shore off Skelmorlie, in the Firth of Clyde, have made an encampment near the vessel, and are living under canvas for the time being. The Laverock ran aground

A broken propeller.

during her trials. There were about sixty people on board, including representatives of the Admiralty and the builders. No effort can be made to float her until the necessary repairs have been effected.

GIRLS' FOOTBALL MATCH: CHARITY CARNIVAL AT TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR'S GROUND.





Dressed in the regulation boots, shorts and jerseys, a number of girls, acting in a London revue, took part in a football match which was one of the chief events of the

charity carnival at Tottenham yesterday. There was a big muster of spectators, who got plenty of fun for their money.

TWO YOUNG HEIRS TO PEERAGES IN SCHOOL THEATRICALS AT WOKINGHAM.





King Cole and his Queen.

The boys of Wixenford School, Wokingham, all of whom are under fourteen, are giving a play entitled "Rumpelstiltskin," which is adapted from Grimm's famous fairy story. Old King Cole is Master C. Crawshay, and his Queen the Hon. W. G. E.

Three of Old King Cole's courtiers.

Brownlow, Baron Lurgan's heir. The three courtiers are Lord Clonmore, the Earl of Wicklow's heir; the Hon. P. L. O'Brien, Lord Inchiquin's second heir, and Lord William Taylour, the Marquis of Headfort's second heir.